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8 July 1949

In. J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I wish to acknowledge with thruks receipt from Mr. C. D. DeLoach of your letter of 29 June 1949, enclosing Gopy Number 11 of a memorandum, "Communist Party, U.S.A., Origins - Developments -Trends." This is most interesting and informative, and I greatly appreciate your courtesy in making it available to me.

With kindest regards and best wishes, believe me,

Sincerely,

Signed & dispatched 7/8/49

R. H. Hillenkoetter Rear Admiral, USH Director of Central Intelligence

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